

## Message Text

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R 270750Z JAN 76

FM AMEMBASSY STOCKHOLM

TO SECSTATE WASHDC 6649

INFO AMEMBASSY LONDON

AMEMBASSY COPENHAGEN

AMEMBASSY OSLO

AMEMBASSY HELSINKI

AMEMBASSY PARIS

UNCLAS STOCKHOLM 0436

LONDON FOR LEGAL ATTACHE

PARIS FOR SECRET SERVICE

E.O. 11652: N/A

TAGS: CFED, SW

SUBJECT: REPORTED CIRCULATION OF COUNTERFEIT U.S. \$50.00 FRN

1. SWEDISH NEWSPAPERS REPORTED JANUARY 21 THE CIRCULATION OF NEW, WELL-MADE COUNTERFEIT U.S. \$ 50.00 FRN IN STOCKHOLM. AT LEAST FORTY NOTES HAVE BEEN EXCHANGED FOR SWEDISH KRONOR BY SUSPECT WHO IS DESCRIBED AS FORTYISH, SUAVE AND WELL-DRESSED. SUSPECT SPOKE ENGLISH DURING TRANSACTIONS, BUT UNSURE COMMAND OF LANGUAGE AND OCCASIONAL USE OF SPONTANEOUS SWEDISH PHRASES CAUSED SUSPICION HE MAY BE SWEDISH. SUSPECT IS REPORTED TO HAVE WORN GLOVES AT ALL TIMES.

2. SWEDISH POLICE CONFIRM PRESS REPORTS AND HAVE INFORMED EMBASSY OF SERIAL NO'S OF 28 NOTES. THEY ARE:

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| G18988657A | G18988755A |
| G18988663A | G18988760A |
| G18988667A | G18988762A |
| G18988673A | G18988763A |

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| G18988724A | G18988783A |
| G18988733A | G18988784A |
| G18988734A | G18988798A |

3. POLICE WILL KEEP EMBASSY INFORMED OF FURTHER DEVELOPMENTS.

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